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LATEST FROM ROSECRANS.

MOVEMENTS OF THE ENEMY!

Quarrel and Fight Among the Rebels!

Casualties in Late Battles 18,000!

NEW YORK, October 13.—The following special relative to Rosecrans army appears under a Washington date. Things are unchanged, with the exception that the enemy have removed their artillery from Lookout Mountain, where they had about ten pieces in position, and appear to have somewhat withdrawn their forces. It is supposed that they will concentrate their artillery on Missionary Ridge. Some of the enemy's pieces are heavy, and all seem to carry well. They hold both the Lookout Mountain Missionary Ridge, from which they threw shells on the 4th and 5th inst. On the latter day one hundred and fifty shells were thrown by the enemy. They, however, inflicted no damage beyond that of wounding three men and killing one horse.

We have several lines of intrenchments, and extensive earthworks are still going on. The plan of the enemy appears to be not to make an attack in front, but to compel us to abandon Chattanooga by simply holding us in our present position, with their army in our front, annoying us with their artillery and breaking our lines of communication by cavalry raids in our rear. A general order issued on the 7th announces Maj. Gen. Reynolds as chief staff in place of Gen. Garfield, who vacates his position to assume his seat in Congress.

The divisions of the army will be consolidated into six to form the 4th and 5th corps, with Gens. Thomas and Granger as commanders. Those under the former will be commanded by Gens. Bayard, Davis and Rousseau, and those under the latter by Gens. Wood, Sheridan and Palmer. Gen. Brannan will be Chief of Artillery.

There seems to be good reason for believing that the rebels had a fight among themseives last Monday, in which five or six hundred were killed and wounded. Deserters confirm the statement, but differ as to the cause. One version is that Georgia troops refused to cross the Chickamauga, and Withers' division was sent down to compel them. The other: Tennessee troops had refused to obey orders, and Longstreet's forces were sent against them. The line of battle and flash of the guns could be distinctly seen from the mountain tops. This occurred at the time of their cannonading on Monday, by which we conclude that this was the nature of their trouble.

General Rosecrans denies officially having brought any charges against Gens. M'Cook and Crittenden. It is believed generally that these officers will show a much better record than the reports in regard to them warrant.

With the assistance of reinforcements already arrived, movements will soon be made, it is hoped, which will drive the enemy from our front.

The army is still well supplied with everything but clothing and blankets, the want of which, in unusually cold weather, causes considerable suffering.

All the wounded able to bear removal have been sent North.

The casualties in the late battles will not be less than 15,000.

On Thursday the rebels, from the opposite side of the river, fired into our wagons and ambulance trains passing over the valley road, wounding two men, and killing and wounding seven mules.

They seem determined on embarrassing our transportation in every possible way.

The forces of Wheeler, after burning a portion of Shelbyville, were attacked by Col. Crook not far from that place on Wednesday. We killed 120 of the enemy, and took 300 prisoners and two pieces of artillery.

The rebels were pursued by our forces in the direction of Fayetteville, overtaken and thirty more prisoners lost by them. At last accounts they were making their way into the interior, closely pursued by our cavalry, which is regarded as sufficient to take care of them.

Rhoddy has crossed the Tennessee with 1000 men. He passed through as far as Kinsville, on the Memphis and Chattanooga railroad, yesterday, and made off in the direction of Winchester.

Friday night they drove in our pickets. At the Summit, this side of Cowan, some damage was done by throwing down stones, but to no great extent, and obstructions have been removed. Gen. Hooker sent a force last night to that point, but the rebels did not venture on an attack.

WASHINGTON, October 12.—Early on Saturday a brigade of cavalry, belonging to Kirkpatrick's Division, attempted a reconnoisance on the Robertson's river. They were attacked by a large force of rebel cavalry, amply supported by infantry and artillery, under command of Stuart in person. The infantry force was one of Ewell's divisions, and numbered about eight thousand men. A brisk fight ensued, lasting about an hour, when our cavalry were compelled to fall back on their infantry supports, three miles from Culpeper. At this place, another conflict ensued, in which our infantry were worsted and compelled to retire, the rebels capturing about a hundred of the 12th New York. Our cavalry again formed into line and made a splendid charge, recapturing all the prisoners taken, except fifteen or twenty.

The rebels commenced to cross the Rapidan on Thursday morning, in the direction of Madison Court House, with the evident intention of turning Gen. Meade's right wing. Heavy cavalry reinforcements have been sent to the front. It is reported that rebel cavalry hold the gaps in Bull Run Mountains. A large cavalry force was sent from here yesterday, which will, however, speedily dislodge them. The rebel force holding the gaps are supposed to be White's and Mosby's men.

Rebel reinforcements coming to his assistance, our forces pushed back to Culpepper skirmishing all the way. A heavy firing this forenoon indicates that the engagement had been renewed. Later intelligence from the front says our forces have evacuated Culpepper, and such stores as could not be conveniently carried were burned. Their valuables, however, was trifling. It is reported that the whole rebel force has crossed the Rapidan. Further advices from Gen. Meade states he has fallen back to the north bank of the Rappahannock. Prisoners captured yesterday state that Longstreet's corps had returned from the South-west. This however, is doubted.

News Items.

WITHIN the last two months Jeff. Davis' rebel incendiaries have set on fire and destroyed 15 first class Mississippi steamboats valued at three-quarters of a million dollars, and caused the loss of twenty-eight lives.

At St. Louis the transaction of all private merchandize Southward is forbidden by the Government, all the means of transportation being needed to carry supplies to Gen. Rosecrans' army.

Orders have been issued for the draft to commence in Minnesota, Wisconsin and New Jersey, on Oct. 25th. That date falls on Sunday, but probably the War Department acts on the proverb that "the better the day the better the deed."

The Navy Deportment is reported to have in its possession an original contract between the Confederate Government and private parties, for the delivery of stores at St. George's, Bermuda, thus making an English port the depot of the rebel. The contract is dated Sept. 28.

The Petersburg *Express*, of Wednesday, says that President Davis passed through Petersburg the day previous, for some point South. It is not improbable that Jeff. Davis is on his way to Charleston, Chattanooga and Mobile, on a tour of inspection, with a view to inspirit his troops at these points.

It is reported that the absence of General Rosecrans from the battle field of Chickamauga is attributed to the fact that he was, either previous to or during the fight, seized with a fit of epilepsy. This will partially account for the defeat of the centre and one wing of the Federnl army.

WHEAT IN MILWAUKEE.—The largest amount of wheat ever brought to this city in one week was received here last week, footing up 773,806 bushels. Sales were made to the amount of nearly 900,000 bushels, and the week before the sales exceeded 1,000,000 bushels. We should call that some wheat.—*Milwaukie News.*

A painful case of elopement took place at Jacksonville, Illinois, a short time since. One Prof. H. Stauchaver shipped off to Europe with a Miss Anna Rawlins, daughter of a leading merchant of the place, leaving behind a wife who is blind, and four children. He sold all his effects previous to going.

THE Richmond *Whig*, speaking of the withdrawal of Mr. Mason from England, says: "This withdrawal was demanded by a sense of self-respect, as well as by important considerations of public policy; but these reasons require with far greater weight and urgency the dismissal of the British Consul. These consuls can do no harm aside from compromising our dignity; but they are here without our sanction, in contempt of our authority, and in derrogation of our rights; and what is worse than all, and most galling, they are in our midst and thus employed by permission of the Power which is waging a worse than barbarian war against us.

PROSPECTIVE RETIREMENT OF CHIEF JUSTICE TANEY.—It is thought here in professional circles that Chief Justice Taney's protracted hold on the Bench of the Supreme Court of the United States, will be unloosed before the Spring of 1864. A desire is universally expressed among lawyers and politicians that his successor in office may be a statesman whose history gives the soundest guarantee of Anti-Slavery sentiment, and whose eminence as a lawyer and Senator has only been surpassed by the splendor with which he has administered the finances of the United States during the rebellion.—*N. Y. Times Wash. Cor.*

FALL OF ROCK.—A day or two since, the large table rock below the suspension bridge at Clifton fell, taking with it a large section of the cliff. The concussion produced by the fall is said to have shaken the bridge from end to end, as well as a portion of the lands and tenements in the vicinity, causing many to imagine that an earthquake had taken place. The rock and earth have formed a small island in the river, but it is expected that the action of the water will speedily remove it, as the current is very swift and strong at the spot. Of late years the rock slides have been very frequent in the vicinity of the falls—almost too freqent to give persons confidence in their title deeds.—*St. Catharines Journal.*

THE SENSE OF TOUCH.—The extreme delicacy to which the sense of touch may be brought by practice often receives curious illustrations. One of the best known is the ability of the blind to read raised letters; and in one case, when the sense of touch by the pulp of the fingers had been much reduced by an injury, the sufferer learned to read by applying her lips to the letters. It is said that, in counting rapidly a roll of bank notes, a clerk in the Bank of England will be able to detect a counterfeit note by the touch alone, which no examination by an ordinary individual could distinguish from a genuine note, even were he aware that it was forged.

JEFF. DAVIS' PIANOS.—This is the popular name given to the transportation wagons used for the conveyance of Government stores from the depots to the railroads. These abominable vehicles, flat bottom and rumbling, are the most perfect ever invented—if designed to rend the ear of quiet and destroy repose. There is a rendevous of the pianos at the corner of Ninth and Main streets. The teams stand about idly, with the negro drivers snoring loudly in repose, until certain hours of the day, when they wake up and start off like mad, the drivers lashing and halooing, and the pianos rattling off in different directions, with an incessent roar of loose bolts, creaking timbers, and shaky iron bars. The devil plays the piano, and the public stop their ears; but there is no remedy.—*Richmond Examiner.*

THE American Board of Commissioners for Foreign Missions is in session at Rochester. The workings of the association are represented to be in a very flourishing condition. There has been a very large increase to the membership of the churches established in the various fields of missionary effort in foreign lands, while hundreds of children have been added to the mission schools. Very entertaining narratives of recent visits to some of the most promising missionary stations were given by several clergymen. The annual sermon was delivered on Tuesday evening by the Rev. Dr. Cleaveland. The expenditures for the year ending August 31st amounted to $403,264 66, the receipts being but $397,079 71, leaving a debt balance of $6,184 95.

A sad accident has happened at the Theater Dejazer, in Paris. The ghost apparatus having been disarranged, one of the chorus singers was substituted in its place. Unfortunately, this was not told either to the public or M. Fribault, who represented the murderer. The audience hissed the ghost, which M. Fribault took to himself, and made a thrust with the dagger at the supposed apparition. The poor man gave a horrible shriek and fell, the dagger, which was a sharp bladed instrument, remained in his body. A few hours later he was a corpse.

A certain lady had been much annoyed by the ringing of her door bell by the mischievous boys in the vicinity, and determined to be no more made a fool of by going to the door. In the course of the forenoon her minister called to see her, dressed in his best clothes. He ascended the steps and gently drew the bell handle, when the lady shouted from the entry: "I see you, boy; if I catch you I'll wring your neck!" The frightened gentleman immediately rushed down the steps, through a small crowd of young scamps, and has not been seen since.

On the 3d of September, about two hundred miles north of Fort Pierre, Dacotah Territory, a great battle occurred between 2,500 Indians and the 6th Iowa and 2d Nebraska Cavalry, under command of Gen. Sully. The Indians fought like demons, and the fight was continued all day. After the third round the 2d Nebraska advanced to within thirty yards of the enemy, and poured round after round into the conglomerated mass of Indians, squaws, papooses, ponies and dogs, the mingled noise of which was the most hideous that ever racked human ears. The enemy escaped during the night, leaving everything behind them, including squaws and children. On the 4th there were several sharp fights. All the evidences of utter demoralization and precipitate flight were met with, nothing being seen of the Indians after the engagements of the 5th. Our loss during the three days fighting amounted to sixty-one killed and wounded. There were about five hundred Indians killed, a great number wounded, and three hundred taken prisoners. Chiefs are coming in every day and giving themselves up. Thousands of small articles have been taken by our troops that these wretches took from the Minnesota people during the massacres. It is estimated that the loss of their personal property is greater to the Indians than the destruction of the city of New York would be to us.

MRS. DR. LYDIA SAYER HASBROUCK, who lives in Wallkill, New York, won't pay taxes because she can't vote. Last month she was notified by the highway overseer of the town to appear on a certain day, shovel in hand, to work out her highway tax. She appeared on the appointed day, with her fire shovel, and went to work, but only for five days, when her tax was for ten and a half. She was therefore arrested upon complaint of the overseer. He complains that he "gave Lydia Sayer Hasbrouck, who resides in said district and is assessed to work ten and a half days upon the highways therein, notice to appear on the ninth day of September, with a good shovel, on the road near the house of A. G. Townley, to do such work, and that the said Lydia Sayer Hasbrouck did so appear with a small fire shovel, whereupon the said deponent furnished the said Hasbrouck with a good shovel, and directed her to assist in filling the wagons that were on the ground, but that the said Hasbrouck did not work faithfully, remaining idle a considerable portion of the time each load was filling, standing leaning on her shovel, talking and calling the attention of other workmen from their work, at other times sitting during the whole time of filling the wagon, sometimes with one hand tossing pebbles into the wagon, and at others reading a paper."

THE MARRIAGE MARKET IN TENNESSEE.—In addition to the ordinary demand for husbands in this State, there will be an additional crying demand made by some ten thousand young women, who lost their sweet-hearts in the army, to say nothing of as many widows, some of whom may also desire to form new matrimonial alliances. It is appalling to reflect upon the havoc which the war has made upon our people, and the necessary derangement of the social relations consequent upon this havoc. Think of ten thousand young women prevented from entering into the marriage relation, which is the basis and source of well ordered society, in consequence of the remorseless ravages of war! This frightful deficiency of husbands must be made up by immigration. Among the multitudes of settlers who will flock hither after the war is over, will be a large number of enterprising, adventurous young men, who will come to seek their fortunes in our unsurpassed State, whose charms will not invite the industrious and thrifty in vain. The Army of the Cumberland has thousands of gallant young spirits who will make their homes in Tennessee hereafter, and who will infuse into her institutions the life, energy and progress which so splendidly characterize the flourishing States of the Northwest. And thousands will come from the East, and across the ocean, as our ancestors did of old. The natural and easy progress of events will supply the present dearth in the matrimonial market, and thousands of disconsolate damsels will assume with delight the names of adventurous Counts, Earls and Barons from Europe; philosophers, professional men, manufacturers and artizans from the East; merchants and bankers from the Middle States, and thrifty farmers—the happiest of men—from the North-west.

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ENGLAND is said to have proposed that the European Powers should no longer recognize the title of Russia to Poland.

IT was expected that Archduke MAXIMILLIAN would formally make known his acceptance of the Mexican throne, to the Mexican delegatioh on the 3d of October.

IN one of the border counties of Missouri, JASON LOCKE, a boy of fifteen, aided by his mother, is said to have killed two guerrillas attempting to enter the house. They are Locke and dam No. 1.

THE REBEL HOPE.—The Memphis-Atlanta *Appeal*, speaking of their successes at Chattanooga, says: "We shall now be recognized. Our securities will rise. VALLANDIGHAM will be elected!"

MAJOR GENERAL HANCOCK, writing to a friend in Washington, expresses a hope to join the army within three weeks. He is yet lame, and not able to ride horseback, but his wound is healing.

JUVENILE HOMICIDE.—In Terre Haute, a few days ago, Master CALLINGS called Master BROWN a liar, and Master B. shot him dead instantly, and was immediately acquitted on the plea of justifiable homicide.

THE MISSOURI STATE CAPITAL IN TEXAS.—Southern papers inform us that REYNOLDS, the rebel "Governor" of Missouri, has arrived at Galveston. The newspaper caravan and the itinerant governors will soon open under one canvass.

HON. JEDEDIAH JEWETT, Collector of Portland, died in that city on Saturday of dipheria, after a brief illness, aged fifty-six years. He was Mayor of Portland in 1858 and 1859, and is well known to the public in connection with the capture of the Tacony pirates.

A REBEL despatch from Savannah, Ga., Oct. 7, says: "There were 1,630 votes polled here to-day. It is believed that BROWN, for Governor, is largely ahead, and that GIBSON and NORWOOD have been beaten for Representatives by RUSSELL and GUE. No advices from other counties.

TORTURE.—A Somersetshire (English) farmer and wife recently wound up a long course of cruel tórture inflicted upon an elderly woman servant by forcing into her mouth a piece of honeycomb full of bees, inflicting great agony from the sting of the angry insects.

JOHN ROSS, the talented and loyal Indian chief, is said to be the son of a Scotch trader, who married the daughter of one of the principal chiefs of the Cherokees. Ross was educated at Branford, Connecticut. He afterwards married a lady in Maine, who accompanied him West. He is over seventy years of age.

VALLANDIGHAN ON SECESSION.—In his speech in Congress, January 14, 1863, C. L. VALLANDIGHAM said: "Believe me, and accept it as you did not the solemn warnings of years past, the day which divides the North from the South, that self same day decrees eternal divorce between the West and the East.

THE proprietor of the Pewter Mug, a rowdy coffee house in New York, denounced a one legged soldier as a bastard, knocked him down and attempted to stamp on him. The one legged man shot the ruffian, and he shouldn't even be tried for it. The Pewter Mug man tried him, and that was enough.

THE ARKANSAS UNION REGIMENTS-Since Northwestern Arkansas has been occupied by Federal troops, two full regiments—one of cavalry and one of infantry—have been enlisted into the Union service. Hundreds of individuals have also been enlisted in the various Kansas regiments along the border. The 2d Arkansas cavalry is now being recruited.

LIEUT. COL. POWELL, of the 12th loyal Virginia infantry, is now treated as a traitor by the rebels, and imprisoned in a felon's dungeon at Richmond. The rebel authorities have been notified that a rebel prisoner of equal rank will be subjected to similar treatment unless he be at once put on the same footing with other prisoners of war.

AN OLD PENSIONER.—Among the applicants for Invalid army pension, in Washington on Saturday, was one for a wound received in the battle of Tippecanoe, November 7, 1811, more than half a century ago. His name is ISAAC MCLANAHAN, and he is a resident of Akron, Fulton county, Indiana. He belonged to the 2d United States dragoons, and served in the war of 1812.

THREE of the negroes concerned in the murder of the BECKHAM family some time since in Kentucky, were hung at Columbus on Friday. Detachments of the 15th Regulars and 14th Regiment of colored troops, witnessed the execution. Three others, indirectly connected with the murder, have been sentenced to imprisonment for five years, and one for one year, and they were sent to Nashville under guard on the day of the execution.

PROFESSOR A. D. WHITE, the Union candidate for Senator in Onondaga county, New York, is a gentleman of eminence in literary circles. He has held for several years the Professorship of History in the University of Michigan, and is a contributor to the *Atlantic Monthly*. Last year he made a visit to Europe, where he contributed much by his pen and personal intercourse to the promotion of the National cause.

HOW THE REBELS HATE ROSECRANS.—The Southern rebel newspapers have the notion that General ROSECRANS is a German, and consequently they abuse the whole German race. The Knoxville *Register* said, just before BURNSIDE pounced upon East Tennessee, and scattered the scoundrels of secessionists therefrom:—"ROSECRANS himself is an unmixed Dutchman, an accursed race which has overrun the vast districts of the country of the Northwest. It happens that we entertain a greater degree of respect for an Ethiopian in the ranks of the Northern armies than for an ordoriferous Dutchman, who can have no possible interest in this revolution."

A UNION GIRL DOWN IN DIXIE.—A correspondent from the 13th Wisconsin, (now at Stevenson, Alabama,) writes as follows: "At Pine Factories and Pulaski cloth fabrics are produced; and at the latter place we saw a great number of fair, young faces, peering from the factory windows, as we marched by with colors flying and bands playing 'Way down South in the Land of Cotton,' &c. One young lady stood at the gate in front of her home, evidently not an uninterested spectator. A soldier pointed to the National flag and asked her how she liked it. She replied, 'That it is the flag that I love; who would fear death fighting under its folds?' An old man standing behind her, under the porch, sank into a chair and wept. We passed on, and shall never know more of that old man or that beautiful maiden; but they doubtless have a history that is worth knowing."

National Military Canals.

THE committee appointed by the National Canal Convention, which met last June, in Chicago, to engineer their schemes, convened on Wednesday last at the St. Nicholas Hotel, New York, to hear and consider the report of their sub-committee, the more active men of the projected scheme to beguile the Government into giving its name and pecuniary aid to the transportation companies which they represent. This report, or memorial, after adoption, the chairman of the sub-committee, Hon. J. N. ARNOLD, of Illinois, was instructed to present to the President of the United States, with the request that he would at an early day call the attention of Congress to the proposed canals, and request the favorable consideration of the same by that body.

The memorial sets forth the military importance of being able to send gunboats to the lakes, in case of a war with Great Britain. Also, that large sums have been expended in fortifying the sea-coasts, while a mere spoonful of government pap has been distributed on the Northern frontier, notwithstanding that Great Britain has lavished immense sums for the benefit of the Canadian public in vast fortifications at various points, and in military canals. Also, that the enlargement of the Illinois and New York canals is a commercial necessity, we having so far outgrown our canal facilities that we are not able to transport the surplus produce of the West to the seaboard, and consequently produce, not being able to find its way to market, is comparatively worthless. That the tolls upon the enlarged canals will certainly pay principal and interest in a short time, and nothing is asked but the name and credit of the Government; just as the railroad companies wanted merely the credit of the county, and we are now paying taxes to make good the credit they promised to maintain.

Finally, the memorial concludes with a statement of the importance of this canal scheme for securing our national unity, which is nothing more than a puerile threat which western gentlemen sometimes make use of to frighten eastern old women, as if the present spectacle of the Southern States is not sufficient to convince any sensible community of the insane folly of attempted secession from the Government of the Union. The glorious West has made too many and too great sacrifices to crush this heresy; never let us hear again a word or hint against her loyalty.

Much can be said, doubtless, on either side of this question. To be enabled to place our gunboats upon the great lakes would doubtless be an advantage, though in the event of a war with Great Britain our land forces would possess the Welland Canal and points on the St. Lawrence, which would give us the command of the lakes by shutting out the British gunboats from ascending the St. Lawrence. Rouse's Point, now being fortified, is a *point d'appui* within forty miles of the city of Montreal, from which a force would strike for the supremacy of the lakes. For the commercial necessity no fact is better established than that a demand will force a supply. If there is no demand for the surplus product of the West, that product will certainly not seek tide-water, though transported free; and if the demand exists, this produce will find its way in spite of any obstacles which may be interposed.

It behooves our people to consider this question in all its bearings. As a public-spirited endeavor, by gentlemen of wealth and position, to increase commercial facilities by a wise system of internal improvements, it meets our hearty approval, and we wish them every success which their enterprise deserves; but as an attempt to enlist the General Government in the contest for the trade of the West, for which our Eastern cities have been so manfully contending for so many years, this scheme has our unqualified opposition and detestation. It is a blow against Philadelphia and Baltimore enterprise, which created the great railway lines over the Alleghenies, and against the State policy which built the Pennsylvania and the Chesapeake canals, and it is unfair and impolitic for the Government to throw its weight in the scale in favor of the New York lines.

We never could persuade the government to improve the natural channel of the Ohio, a truly national work, because it was said the constitutional power was wanting to engage in internal improvements. We hope the same reason will hold good when the government is asked to enlarge the canals of the States of New York and Illinois, and if not we trust the same arguments will be equally efficacious to secure the improvements of the Ohio River, the Beaver and Erie Canal, and the various canals of Ohio and Indiana which connect Lake Erie with the Ohio. We have thus called the attention of our citizens to this matter, and will refer to it again as occasions offers. We trust that our public men will not allow the superior vigilance of the New Yorkers to circumvent the old Keystone in this matter, and that we may not have to content ourselves with a letter from the Board of Trade presented about the time that Committees of Merchants from other cities are about disbanding, having accomplished the objects which our old fogyism will not allow us to secure for ourselves.

The Chief Justice.

A correspondent sends us an inimitable protest against the Copperhead State Convention having deposed the Chief Justice from the post of honor, and elected over his head his subordinate, GEO. W. WOODWARD. Our correspondent is justly indignant at the insult put upon one to the manor born, and enumerates all the party services of his favorite WALTER to the anti-Masonic, National Republican, Whig, Democratic, Locofoco and Copperhead organization, and enquires why, after all these partizan services, his favorite should be thrown aside. He makes a strong case, and had we been at home and seen it in time it would have appeared before to-day. WALTER would certainly have had to have assigned him the place of honor on the Copperhead ticket.

Spurious Letter of Gen. McClellan.

Some obscure paper in Philadelphia has published a purported letter from General MCCLELLAN, in favor of WOODWARD. Gen. MCCLELLAN was almost badgered to death by the zeal of the Copperheads to draw him out; in fact he was almost as much frightened as the late Mr. GRUND, by the serenades intended to force him into a speech and committal. He had actually to conceal his own movements, and went back to New York earlier than he designed, simply to escape being bored to death on this point. Everybody knows this in Philadelphia.

Gen. MOORHEAD yesterday received the following highly important dispatch from Washington. It is from high official authority, and contains the latest and most reliable advices from General MEADE's army:

The enemy, some days ago, made a movement apparently to turn Gen. Meade's right. This led to a maneuvering of the two armies, and to pretty heavy skirmishing on Saturday, Sunday and Monday.

We have frequent dispatches from Gen. Meade, and up till ten o'clock last (Monday) night, nothing had happened giving either side any marked advantage. Our army is reported to be in excellent condition. The telegraph is open to General Meade's camp this morning, but we have not troubled him for a dispatch.

THE rebels do not feel disposed to return our soldiers whom they hold as prisoners of war, and consequently our flag of truce boats from Fortress Monroe have for several trips returned empty or nearly so.

Farragut Bound for Charleston.

From information that has come to our knowledge, as well as from indications that are sufficiently apparent in naval circles, there seems to be no doubt that Admiral FARRAGUT will leave New York within a very brief period to take command of our naval forces off Charleston. The gallant hero himself makes no secret that he expects to be ordered to sea at any moment, and has intimated that he may be unable to accompany the Russian Admiral to Baltimore on that account. His appointment to this command will give general satisfaction to our citizens, and inspire our forces off Charleston with renewed confidence and energy. The rumors of estrangement between Gen. GILMORE and Admiral DAHLGREN may be as untrue as they have been represented, but it is useless to deny that the complaints from the army of the inactivity of the navy are loud and deep, and that the latter is freely censured and is far from being popular with either branch of the service. On the other hand, Admiral FARRAGUT's name is a tower of strength, and both soldiers and sailors believe that the hero of New Orleans is destined to add Charleston to his laurels.

PROSPECTS OF A BATTLE AT CHATTANOOGA.—It is generally believed that a collision will soon take place between the contending armies at Chattanooga, but how soon no one can tell. The rebels will not be the attacking party this time, and General ROSECRANS is not yet fully prepared to advance, nor will he be for some time, I think, as preparations for the forwarding of minor columns are in progress, and these, of course, must strike first, before the great battle is fought. It is evident on all hands that Gen. ROSECRANS is master of the position, and that he will not fight to a disadvantage. The ground occupied is not what would be selected for a great pitched battle, and this is why Gen. ROSECRANS is anxious to fight, in order to destroy the power of the Rebellion, if possible, at a stroke, for he has the best proofs that the flower and strength of the Rebel host is here led by BRAGG, directed by Gen. LEE himself. If the Rebels should now retreat, it will be a surrender of their cause; if they fight it will be the death of it.

ADMIRAL MILNE and his suite and the entire British Legation, attended by the Secretary of State, the Assistant Secretary of State, and Mr. STANTON, a son of the Secretary of War, on Sunday visited Mount Vernon and paid their homage at the tomb of WASHINGTON. The excursion was made in the steamer Carrie Martin, and was in all respects a very pleasant one to the distinguished party. The naval officers stationed on the Potomac, in the vicinity, waited on the Admiral, and were received by him with great courtesy. On Monday, accompanied by Major General HEINTZELMAN, with a proper military escort, the party visited the convalescent camp and other places of interest in the Department of Washington.

MAJOR GEN. NEGLEY.—A correspondent of the Philadelphia *Inquirer* speaking of this gallant Pennsylvanian says: He is one of the most respected of Gen. ROSECRANS' division leaders, and as a proof of this, I may cite the fact that Gen. NEGLEY is a respected participant in every council of war held at the Headquarters of the Army of the Cumberland. Whilst gallantly leading his troops in the field, and risking his life in the glorious cause of his country, he has not forgotten his native State, and has been throwing his entire home influence into the Union scale in Governor CURTIN's behalf. He must not be forgotten.

FROM ROSECRANS' ARMY.—The Cincinnati *Gazette's* dispatch from Indianapolis says that surgeons have arrived there direct from Chattanooga, who were taken prisoners in the Chickamauga fight. They were stripped of everything. They represent that the impression is general that Bragg would attack Rosecrans on Tuesday, (yesterday,) to prevent the Ohio soldiers from voting. Reinforcements had arrived. They came by the first train through from Bridgeport. Also the road has been repaired, and all important points are strongly defended.

THE following lines were written by Sir WALTER SCOTT, after passing a social evening with the Laird of Staffa, and are taken from an album:

"Staffa! king of all good fellows,
Well betide thy hills and valleys,
Lakes and inlets, steeps and shallows;
Mountains which the grey mist covers,
Where the chieftain spirit hovers,
Pausing as its pinions quiver,
Stretched to quit this land forever!
May all kind influence rest above thee,
On all thou lov'st, and all who love thee!
For warmer heart 'twixt this and Jaffa
Beats not than in the breast of Staffa!"

Personal Appearance of Rebel Generals.

GEN. LONGSTREET is described as an Alabamian—a thick-set man, forty-three years of age. He was an infantry major in the old army, and now commands the First Corps d'Armee. By the soldiers he is invariably spoken of as the best fighter in the whole army. His "war endurance is most extraordinary. He seems to require neither food nor sleep."

General Ewell is a remarkable looking old soldier, bald, with a prominent nose, and rather a haggard, sickly face; having so lately lost his leg above the knee, he is still a complete cripple, and falls off his horse occasionally. Directly he dismounts he has to be put on crutches. He was "Stonewall" Jackson's coadjutor during the celebrated valley campaigns, and proves an efficient successor to that General, who was so much indebted to him for many of his victories. He used to be a great swearer; in fact, he is said to have been the only person who was unable to restrain that propensity before Jackson, but since his late (rather romantic) marriage, he has (to use the American expression) "joined the church."

General Pendleton, Chief of Artillery, was a West Pointer; but in more peaceable times he fills the post of Episcopal Clergyman in Lexington, Virginia. Unlike Gen. Polk, he unites the military and clerical professions together, and continues to preach whenever he gets a chance. On these occasions he wears a surplice over his uniform.

Gen. Pickett commands one of Longstreet's divisions. He wears his hair in long ringlets, and is, altogether, a desperate looking character. He is the officer who, as Captain Pickett, of the United States army, figured in the difficulty between the British and United States in the San Juan Island affair, under Gen. Harney, four or five years ago.

General Job Stuart is a good-looking, jovial character, exactly like his photographs. He is a good and gallant soldier, though he sometimes incurs ridicule by his harmless affectation and peculiarities. The other day he rode through a Virginia town, his horse covered with garlands of roses. He also departs considerably from the severe simplicity of dress adopted by other Confederate Generals; but no one can deny that he is the "right man in the right place." —*Blackwood's Magazine.*

THE DRAFT AND PHYSICAL DISABILITY.—The *Army and Navy Journal* thus comments upon the physical condition of man generally: "As the facts in regard to the physical condition of our people, revealed by the recent draft, appear to have excited much astonishment, it may be well to call attention to the fact that about thirty-five per cent. of those who present themselves for medical examination, as recruits in the British army, are rejected on account of physical disability. When we remember that so large a portion of those who have sufficient confidence in their own physical condition to undertake military service prove unequal to its requirements, it will not seem surprising that a body of recruits, selected at random from the community, should reveal so large a per centage of men unfit to do military duty. The standard of physical perfection demanded for the army is necessarily greatly in advance of that required for the ordinary avocations of life, as many have learned to their cost who have undertaken, without due consideration of their physical capacity, to discharge the duties of a soldier. The army has suffered too much already in this matter to permit any laxity in the preliminary medical examination of recruits and conscripts. Fewer men, but better, should be the motto."

Tragedy on Island No. 40--A Planter Shot down in his own House by a Notorious Desperado.

(From the Memphis Argus, Sept. 27.)

At a late hour last night we learned the particulars of a most atrocious murder, which was committed on Island No. 40, sixteen miles above the city, on the Tennessee side, a little after sundown on Thursday evening of last week.

On the evening in question the residence of a small planter on the island, named Newson—a quiet, inoffensive man, and much respected by his neighbors—was visited by a man named Bill Godfrey, a notorious character, who bears the reputation of a desperado.

Godfrey remained sometime, and during a protracted conversation a dispute arose between him and Newson which led to an open rupture between the parties. The evening meal having been prepared during the wrangling, Newson invited Godfrey to the table, doubtless thinking that the easiest method of terminating the quarrel. Godfrey refused, and the quarrel continued. What immediately led to the tragedy could not be ascertained, but before many words were passed in anger Godfrey, in whose hand was a rifle, which he had held during the entire conversation, raised it to his shoulder, aimed at Newson, and fired. The victim, who was standing in his dining-room unarmed, fell to the floor, pierced through the heart with a heavy charge of buckshot. He expired a few moments afterward, amid the shrieks and lamentations of his wife and children, who had witnessed the murder.

Godfrey remained a silent spectator of the wretchedness his crime had wrought, evincing no emotion whatever. His indifference was so manifest that Mrs. Newson, after the first outburst of grief, charged him with the cold-blooded murder of her hfisband. He made no answer, but went to the fence, reloaded his gun, and returned, informing her, as he did so, that if she was not satisfied with what he had done he would "settle with her," at the same time looking significantly at his gun.

Soon afterwards he left the premises, but early on Friday morning returned, addressed Mrs. Newson very pleasantly, and offered to assist her in interring her dead husband.

He made no attempt to escape, and yesterday evening was arrested and brought to this city by Lieut. Chubb, commander of the picket boat Maquoketa City, whose promptness and energy in the affair are deserving of the highest commendation. He arrived here at a late hour of the night.

This man Godfrey, we understand, has resided for a number of years in the neighborhood of the scene of his crime. He is generally regarded by his neighbors as a desperate man, and his arrest has given universal satisfaction. While on the way to the city, last night, he spoke of the murder as though it were a mere trifle, and laughingly informed one of the guard, who had his gun, that he would want the weapon in a day or two.

A Most Transparent Swindle—The Swindler Caught.

A day or two since the police were made acquainted with an attempt of a person to swindle certain innocent parties, by one of the proposed victims, who came to the police office and stated that a man whom he described wanted to exchange greenbacks with him at the rate of three to one and he (the informer) believed the scheme was one for shoving counterfeit money. To sift the matter, officers Eagan and Brophy were set to work, entering into a little conspiracy to entrap the gentleman. They went to his hotel and found him registered as Isaac W. Brown. Mr. Brophy got into conversation with Mr. Brown, who thinking he had a customer, went into a partial detail of what he proposed to do for his customer. He wanted them each to put $500 in an envelope, and go with him (Brown) to a certain city in Indiana, where he (Brown) guaranteed his customers should receive $1,500. As a matter of course, Brown was in search of very green people—none but the veriest gosling could be taken in by this subterfuge. When Mr. Brown and Mr. Officer Brophy were about through with their conversation—the officer expressing a willingness to be taken in, provided he could raise the necessary funds—Mr. Officer Fagan stepped up and gently laid his hand on Mr. Brown's shoulder, insinuating that he would like to have him take a walk towards the police office. Mr. Brown was thunderstruck. For some minutes he could not speak; but he finally managed to stammer out an unwilling consent to go with the officer, which he did.

At the police office he was taken into the rooms of the Chief of Police. He was searched, and $423 in Treasury notes found on his person. The money was laid on a table while the search progressed. All at once, when a favorable opportunity offered, Brown grabbed the pile of greenbacks, darted out of the door, which he pulled shut after him, and was gone, before the officer having him in charge appreciated the "situation." But Mr. Brown didn't know where he was. Instead of going down the steps leading to the street, he ran out on the balcony, where, of course, his further progress was stopped, and the officer took hold of him and brought him back. He then remarked, "Well, I suppose I may as well give it up," and submitted quietly to his incarceration.

In a black carpet sack, which was captured with Mr. Brown, were found a number of large sized envelopes, several of which were filled with slips of paper cut about the size of a bank bill, the envelopes thus filled having the appearance of containing packages of money. These packages or envelopes, it was evident, Mr. Brown intended, by dextrous manipulation, to exchange for whatever packages of money he might dupe his customers into putting up, and, after his game was played, decamp, and leave his victim in the lurch. He had, judging from the flush state of his finances, been successful in some game recently played.

The person who first "blowed" on Mr. Brown started another item of startling import given by Brown in explanation of the how, why, and wherefore of his magnanimous purposes enumerated above. He said that two clerks in the Treasury Department at Washington had been discharged, and when they left they took 4,000,000 of greenbacks with them. Part of this money, he said, had fallen into his hands, and that was the reason he could give three for one.—*Missouri Democrat.*

Profligacy in Washington.

That war is demoralizing everbody knows, and it may naturally be expected that the pernicious influences of war would be felt at the National Capital in their full vigor. Few will be prepared, however, to credit the reports now given respecting the prevalence of crime in that city. Here is the picture given by the Superintendent of Police, just published.

"No one who has given the least attention to the constantly recurring public notices of crime, can help perceiving that crime of all sorts is greatly on the increase within this Metropolitan Police District. Nothing that could be done by the police to change this sad state of affairs has been left undone, and in this they have had the valuable assistance of the military authorities. But, though repeated arrests, violent remedies and public exhibitions of them in the streets, have combined to make the notorious thieves seek another quarter for the exercise of their talents, still the city swarms with thieves, burglars and dangerous characters."

The Police Superintendent thus makes a comparison of the criminal statistics of that city, with those of Brooklyn, showing that while the arrests in Brooklyn are only one in 87.75 of its population, in Washington they reach one in every 12.58. He then adds:

"Nor has burglary and kindred offences alone increased in our midst. By kindred offences I mean robberies of various kinds, such as pocket-picking, garroting, highway robbery, and so forth. There has been an increase in all of these; but beside, murders, violent assaults and other crimes, resulting from sudden and violent passions, are much more frequent than formerly."

The increase of licentiousness is spoken of as "positively fearful," but there is no crime to which men of depraved character are more addicted than gambling. The report says of such: "They are well dressed, respectable looking scoundrels, who to our sorrow be it said, have an influence, and use it too, in almost all matters that concern the community. They practice their horrid trade in secret, and their victims dread the light more than anything else, and it is this very secresy that gives them their power." A correspondent of the Boston *Traveler* says: "In fact, gambling, licentiousness, drunkenness, and every species of evil, run riot throughout the city, until now profligacy seems supreme." Another writer notices the fact that while theatres flourish, and appliances for all kinds of debauchery exist, churches and schools languish as never before.

ROSECRANS' LOSSES BUT FIFTEEN GUNS.—The Washington *Chronicle* says: Col. Barnett, Chief of Artillery to Gen. Rosecrans, reports that our loss of artillery at Chattanooga only included fifteen pieces. The rebels claimed sixty, and the first reports from the field stated the number of guns lost to be fifty.

THE North Carolina papers announce the death of Prof. EMMONS, State Geologist.

GENERAL MONTGOMERY has gone to Memphis, from Cairo, where it is understood he will be placed on a Military Commission, about to be convened.

DIED:

THOMPSON—At his residence, No. 25 St. Clair street, Pittsburgh, on the 12th inst., at 10 o'clock, A. M., Mr. JOHN THOMPSON, in the 49th year of his age.

His funeral will take place from the Cumberland Presbyterian Church, on Sixth street, on Wednesday, the 14th inst., at 10 o'clock, A. M. His friends are cordially invited to attend.

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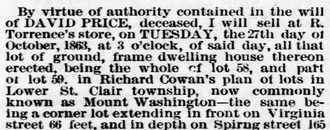

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Thro Exp's..	3:50 p m	Fast Line.....	12:50 a m
Fast Line.....	8:25 p m	Thro Mail.....	12:20 a m
Joh'n Acm'n.	2:45 p m	Joh'n Acm'n.	10:05 a m
1st Wall stn...	6:30 a m	1st Wall stn...	6:25 a m
2d do	11:30 a m	2d do	8:35 a m
3d do	4:00 m	3d do	1:40 p m
4th do	6:10 p m	4th do	6:05 p m

The Church Train leaves Wall's Station (on Sunday) at 9:05 a m; returns at 12:45 p m.

Pittsburgh, Ft. Wayne & Chicago.

Departs.		*Arrives.*	
Fast Line.....	1:00 a m	Chicago Exp...	2:25 a m
Express.....	12:40 p m	Phila. do ...	3:25 p m
Mail Train....	7:00 a m	Cin'ti do ...	7:50 p m
All'ce Ac'm...	2:30 p m	Crest'e Mail...	7:05 p m

The New Brighton Accommodation leaves Allegheny Station at 9:15 a m, 12:00 m, 4:45 p m and 6:10 p m.
Returning, leaves New Brighton Station at 6:50 a m, 8:15 a m, 2:30 p m, and 4:50 p m.

Pittsburgh and Connelsville.

Departs.		*Arrives.*	
Mail.....	7:55 a m	Mail.....	6:00 p m
Express.....	3:40 p m	Express.....	9:30 a m
1st M'Keespt.	11:00 a m	1st M'Keespt.	6:50 p m
2d do	6:15 p m	2d do	2:05 p m
Port Perry....	7:00 a m	Port Perry....	8:30 a m
Braddock's...	4:15 p m	Braddock's...	5:40 p m

The Sunday Train to and from M'Keesport leaves at 1:00 p m, and arrives at 10:00 a m.

Allegheny Valley.

Departs.		*Arrives.*	
Mail.....	7:00 a m	Mail.....	7:00 p m
Express.....	3:40 p m	Express.....	9:35 a m
Accom'n	4:45 p m	Accom'n	8:00 a m

Cleveland and Pittsburgh.

Departs.		*Arrives.*	
For Cin'ti.....	1:00 a m	Returning Trains arrive about the same hours as those on the Pittsburgh and Fort Wayne Railway.	
do	12:40 p m		
For Whee'g...	1:00 a m		
do	6:00 a m		
do	12:40 p m		
For Clev'd...	1:00 p m		
do	12:40 p m		

☞ The Excelsior Omnibus Company have Omnibusses and Carriages in waiting for passengers arriving in trains from both East and West.

Repairing.—The track of the Pennsylvania Central railroad, at the Liberty street depot, is being relaid with heavy T rails instead of the flat rail heretofore used. It will be very substantial.

Horse Stolen.—His Honor, Mayor Sawyer, has received a hand bill, stating that on the 9th inst. a dark bay horse was stolen from Jacob Lutz, at Canton, Stark county, Ohio: also a saddle, bridle and blanket.

Fight in the Fifth Ward.—Yesterday a fight occurred at the polls in the Fifth Ward, during which Samuel Cameron, a well-known Democratic politician, was badly hurt. We could not learn the particulars of the fight.

Fight in the Third Ward.—A fight occurred at the polls in the Third ward between two individuals, one of whom was arrested, but afterwards released upon his own recognizance to appear this evening at 7 o'clock, before His Honor, Mayor Sawyer, when an examination will be had.

Congratulatory.—His Honor Mayor Sawyer wishes to congratulate the citizens of Pittsburgh on the good order and quiet that reigned throughout the city during the election yesterday. Such a thing is unprecedented in the history of elections, for with the exception of one or two small difficulties, nothing occurred to mar the general peace and good order of the city. We heartily join in the congratulations.

Gen. Herron at Home.—Major General Frank Herron, accompanied by his chief Surgeon, Maj. Cochrane, arrived in the city yesterday on the noon train. Gen. Herron is suffering from a severe illness, but it is hoped that in a few weeks he may be able to take the field again. The army of the Southwest cannot do without Gen. Herron, and we are assured from letters in our possession that he has the confidence of his troops second to that of no other General in the service.

We have been requested to state that a meeting will be held at the Sanitary Rooms, on Fourth near Market street, on Wednesday, the 14th inst., at two o'clock, at which time all of the ladies of this city and vicinity, who feel an interest in the proposed mammoth fair at Chicago, on the 27th, and who feel its object to be praiseworthy and benevolent, are desired to be in attendance. The good cause deserves a large representation at this meeting of the fair and patriotic ladies of this city and suburbs.

Death of an Old Pittsburgher.—We understand a letter was received yesterday from Peter Keller, Esq., announcing the sudden death, at Youngstown, Ohio, on last Friday, of Mr. Francis J. Kerr, formerly of this city. Frank, as he was more familiarly called, was well known here. He was a native, we believe, of this city and was, for many years, a member of the Duquesne Greys. His sudden demise will be greatly regretted by his old friends, who well remembered his kindliness of heart, and pleasant social disposition.

Escape of a Lunatic from Dixmont.

On Sunday morning at three o'clock, a lunatic named Robertson, a resident of Brush Valley, Indiana county, made his escape from Dixmont Hospital, below the city, in a very ingenious manner. He got out of his cell by biting through the frame work surrounding his window, and dressed himself in his blanket, *a la Mexicana*. He made his appearance in Allegheny on Monday in his fantastic custome, and caused quite a sensation. An Allegheny officer took him into custody, and after a short detention at the Mayor's office, he was re-committed to Dixmont.

How to Make Cucumber Catsup.—Take ten or twelve fully grown cucumbers, having pared off the rind and scooped out the seeds, wipe the melon dry, cut it into narrow strips, a fourth of an inch in width, and chop up each strip into tiny blocks; to these add six large onions and sixteen green peppers, also chopped into little bits. Mix all together, adding a handful of salt. Put them into a jelly bag and drain for a few hours, until no more juice drops from it. When dry add to them two ounces each of black and white mustard seeds, put into a stone jar, cover with cold strong vinegar, and in two weeks the housewife will be repaid for her trouble by some of the most appetizing sauce that ever graced her table.

Steamboat Property on the Mississippi.—Remarking on the destruction of steamboats on the Mississippi, the St. Louis *Democrat* says:
"Whatever of doubt may have been entertained by any one in regard to the often exposed assertion of a deliberate plan to suppress the commerce of the lower Mississippi by the villainous work of the incendiary, must certainly be dissipated by the latest developments in that line upon the river. The list of sacrificed steamers is being lengthened with fearful speed. Indeed one steamer is not built for every five that are destroyed, and if the work of destruction is not arrested speedily, the result will be an irreparable depletion of our river marine which is already, and has been for some time, unequal to the demand for tonnage.
"Many lives have been already lost by these conflagrations, and the loss of property amounts to millions, in steamboat stock, produce and manufacture.

A Brave Maa's last Words—Letter from Spencer Kellogg Brown.

THE Utica *Herald* publishes the following letter from Spencer Kellogg Brown, who was executed as a spy by the rebels, the last he ever wrote, addressed to his parents in that city:

CASTLE THUNDER, Va., Sept 23, '63.

Dear Father—By permission and through the courtesy of Captain Alexander, I am enabled to write you a few lines. You, who before this have heard from me in regard to my situation here, can, I trust, bear it when I tell you that my days on earth are soon to be ended. Last Saturday I was court-martialed, and this evening, a short time since, I received notice of my sentence by Captain Alexander, who has sidce shown me every kindness consistent with duty.

Writing to my dear parents, I feel there can be no more comfort after such tidings, than to tell you that I trust, by the mercy of our Heavenly Father, to die the death of a Christian. For more than a year, since the commencement of my confinement, I have been trying to serve Him in my poor, feeble way, and I do not fear to go to Him. I would have loved to see you all again; God saw best not—why should we mourn? Comfort your hearts, my dear parents, by thoughts of God's mercy unto your son, and bow with reverence beneath the hand of Him who "doeth all things well." I have but little business to dispose of. Yourself or Uncle Cozzens, at St. Louis, will please draw my pay from the Government and invest it in United States bonds at present, the interest of which will be paid semi-annually to my wife. * * * * *
I sent a ring to my wife by a clergymen, Monday last; I also sent a despatch to you which will arrive too late, as the time of my execution is fixed for day after to-morrow—Friday, September 25th. I will try to send a short letter to my wife, accompanying this.
* * * Captain Alexander, commandant of the prison, deserves your respect and grateful remembrance for his kindness to your son in his last hours.
Dear parents, there are but few more moments left me. I will try to think often of you. God bless and comfort you; remember me kindly and respectfully to all my dear friends and relatives. Tell Kitty I hope to meet her again. Take care of Freddy for me; put him often in remembrance of me.
Dear mother, good-by! God comfort you, my mother, and bless you with the love of happy children. Farewell, my father; we meet again by God's mercy.
SPENCER KELLOGG.

Vocal Music.—H. D. Brecht, teacher of Singing and Cultivation of the Voice, 126 Smithfield street.

The Result---Glorious Victory!

The news from all quarters is most cheering. A great Union victory has been achieved. Pennsylvania and Ohio have gained a victory greater than the armies of the Cumberland or the Potomac. We have not time to give details. We estimate the majority in Allegheny county at about 8,300. Of course the entire county ticket is elected. In the State CURTIN'S majority cannot be below 40,000.

In Ohio we should think that VALLANDIGHAM is beaten on the home vote fully 40,000 and nearly as much more on the army vote—or from 75,000 to 80,000 in the State. We congratulate our readers that the end of the JEFF DAVIS rebellion in the South and the treason of Northern Copperheadism is near at hand. Under the telegraphic head will be found details as they have reached us.

Allegheny County.

We publish below, a table of the vote for Governor, from the districts heard from up to 11½ o'clock. Those marked with a * are majorities.

DISTRICTS.	CURTIN.	WOODWARD.	AGNEW.	LOWRIE.
PITTSBURGH:				
First Ward,	590	77		
Second Ward,	419	182		
Third Ward, 1st Prec't,	284	229		
" " 2d "	209	546		
Fourth Ward,	460	176		
Fifth Ward, 1st Prec't,	*15			
" " 2d "	*41			
Sixth Ward,	*367			
Seventh Ward,	278	139		
Eighth Ward,	410	218		
Ninth Ward,	*341			
ALLEGHENY:				
First Ward,	657	163		
Second Ward,	646	228		
Third Ward, 1st Prec't,	*398			
" " 2d "				
Fourth Ward, 1st Prec't,	*493			
" " 2d "				
BOROUGHS:				
Monongahela,				
Birmingham, 1st Prec't,	*73			
" " 2d "	*146			
Lawrenceville,	116			
South Pittsburgh,	213	124		
West Pittsburgh,	105	77		
East Birmingham.	*170			
Temperanceville,				
Elizabeth,				
McKeesport,	245	117		
West Elizabeth,				
Duquesne,	194	93		
Manchester,	364	205		
Tarentum,	117	36		
Sharpsburg,	164	123		
Sewickley,	148	15		
TOWNSHIPS:				
Pitt,	289	142		
Peebles, 1st Precinct,	198	56		
" 2d "	101	53		
Mifflin,	279	288		
Wilkins,	455	116		
Plum,	151	89		
Versailles,	76			
Jefferson,				
Upper St. Clair,	75	58		
Lower St. Clair,				
Baldwin,	212	136		
Robinson,				
North Fayette,				
South Fayette,	140	54		
Findley,				
Moon,				
Crescent,				
Neville,	40	1		
Snowdon,				
Collins,	278	113		
Penn,	223	49		
Patton,	116	83		
Chartiers,	96	78		
Elizabeth,				
Scott, (new)	113	60		
Union, (new)	173	88		
Ohio,	148	68		
Franklin, 1st Precinct,	52	70		
" 2d "				
Reserve,				
Ross,				
Pine,				
West Deer,				
East Deer,				
Fawn, 1st Precinct,				
" 2d "				
Indiana,				
Shaler,				
McCandless,	72	85		
Sewickley,	81	36		
Richland,				
Hampton,	93	69		
McClure,	129	92		

OHIO.—BROUGH'S majority, on the home vote, in Ohio, is estimated at 40,000. The soldiers' vote will increase this majority to 80,000!

Pennsylvania Election.

Beaver county.—New Brighton gives Curtin a majority of 300, and Agnew 197.

Erie county.—Erie City gives 297 majority for Curtin. The majority in the county will probably reach 3000.

Westmoreland.—The Greensburg district gives Curtin a gain of 41 on his last vote. St. Clair gives Curtin a gain of 26.

Venango Co.—Curtin's maj. in Oil City, 91; gain, 60. Franklin—Curtin's maj. 43; gain. 21.

Philadelphia County will give 8,000 maj. for Curtin.

Bochester Borough gives Curtin 72 maj.

Harrisburg gives Woodward 82 maj.

Dauphin county will give 1,500 maj. for Curtin.

Lancaster only 50 maj. for Woodward.

Gettysburg gives Curtin 96 maj.

Chambersburg gives a gain of 33 for Curtin.

Philadelphia gives 10,000 maj. for Curtin.

Crawford county will exceed 2,000 maj. for Curtin.

Blair county gives 1,000 maj. for Curtin, a gain of 200 over 1860.

Schuylkill county.—Pottsville borough gives Curtin 450 maj.

Carlisle gives 253 maj. for Woodward.

Twelve wards in Philadelphia, half the city, gives Curtin 8,000 majority.

Ohio.

Columbiana County.—Wellsville gives Brough a majority of 211, a gain of 105 over last fall. Salinesville gives Brough 200 majority.

Portage Co.—In Atwater, Brough has a majority of 162. Ravenna, Brough 244 majority. Grins for Brough on last election—Rootstown 50, Edinburg 71, Palmyra 48. Wyndham gives a majority for Brough of 180.

Jefferson Co.—In Steubenville, Brough has 727 maj., a gain of 317 on last year.

Cincinnati—Brough from three to four thousand majority.

Army Vote.—12th Regiment, 450 Brough, 23d, 484, White's Brigade, 1242, and 28th Regiment, 167 majority.

THE REBEL VICE PRESIENT'S CHALLENGE.—We love to quote the following from the memorable speech made by the traitor STEPHENS nearly three years ago. By the way, has his challenge ever been accepted? "*What right has the North assailed?* What justice has been denied? And what claim, founded on justice and right, has been withheld? Can you to-day *name one single act of wrong*, deliberately and purposely done by the Government at Washington, of which the South has a right to complain? *I challenge the answer.*"

SLEEPING IN THE MOONSHINE.—A boy fourteen years of age, named Henry Lowry, residing near Peckhamrye, Ohio, was on Tuesday night expelled from his home by his mother for some trifling misdemeanor. He at once ran away to a cornfield close by, and, on lying down in the open air, fell asleep. He slept throughout the night, which was a moonlight one. Some laborers, on their way to work, seeing the boy apparently asleep, aroused him; the lad opened his eyes, but declared he could not see. He was conveyed home, and from thence to an ocular institution, where medical advice was obtained. The surgeon affirmed that the loss of sight resulted from sleeping in the moonshine. The boy is totally blind, and few hopes are entertained for his recovery.

"Daily Commercial" Job Printing Office.—Orders for every style of Book and Job printing promptly and neatly executed, from a visiting card up to a mammoth poster. The most rapid and improved steam presses are used in the execution of the work.

Grover & Baker's Sewing Machines, for family and manufacturing purposes, are the best in use. A. F. CHATTONY, General Agent, No. 18 Fifth street.

FINANCE AND TRADE.

FOR additional Commercial and Financial Matters see fourth page.

SALES of stocks by Davis & McIlwaine, auctioneers, at the Commercial Sales Rooms, No. 54 Fifth street, Tuesday evening, Oct. 13:

Exchange Bank	$71 25
Allegheny do	58 25

The local money market yesterday was almost wholly overshadowed by the election. No transactions worthy of note came under our notice.

Our Washington specials inform us that foreign capitalists yesterday took a half a million of the five-twenty loan; and our Government has already realized enough from foreign capitalists to pay the entire army for December.

Some of the new fractional currency made its appearance yesterday in Washington. The Treasurer, Mr. SPINNER, announces that no authorized issue has yet been made, and the presumption is that they have been stolen. The delay in their legal issue was owing to their bad appearance, and it is supposed the whole edition printed will have to be suppressed.

JOSHUA HANNA, Esq., the Government agent in this city, reports the sales of five-twenty 6 per cent U. S. bonds during the past week, to the amount of $83,950.

Gold yesterday, in New York, was very unsettled, opening at 52⅜, advancing to 56 and closing quiet at 52@52½ per cent. premium. Sterling exchange irregular and unsettled. The quotations are 1,68@1,70 for the opening figures, and closing dull at 1,67@1,67½. Stocks were firm.

U S 6s '81, coup,	108⅛@108⅜	U S 7-30s	106⅜
Chi & R I	109	Harlem	125
P Ft & C	80	Reading	123⅛
Cleve & Pitts	104¼	M C	120½
N Y Central	135	M S	88
A & T H	64¼	Toledo & Wabash	72
C & T	119	G & C	112¼
Erie	105⅝	Erie preferred	103
Hudson	136	Ill Central, scrip	126½

The import entries of the past week in New York amount to $2,994,590, against $4,867,792 same week last season. The export clearances of domestic produce amount to $2,413,660, against $2,807,827 same week in 1862. The export of specie is $2,656,000, against $2,255,000 same week last year. The customs for the week are $1,671,000.

Cincinnati Markets.—October 13.

Flour—A firmer market to-day, and the advance asked on Saturday wrs established. Superfine must now be quoted at at $5 25@5 35; extra $5 50@5 75, and trade brands at $5 85@6 35; 1,000 bbls sold at @6@6 25 for choice extra to family.

Whisky—Sales of 400 bbls at 60@60½c, the latter rate for wagon.

Provisions—A continued active demand for old mess pork, with sales of 300 bbls at $12 00 do at $12 50, and 280 do country at $13 50. Lard active and firmer; sales of 250 tcs prime city at 10¼c; 150 do do at 10¾c; and 1,250 do steam rendered at 10c delivered at Louisville. Nothing transpired in bulk meats and bacon. The Commissariat at St. Louis has advertised for 7,500 bbls mess pork and one and a half millions pounds of bacon.

Groceries—Sugar is held ½c higher, but no advance established. Coffee must be quoted at 31@33c. Molasses 58@62c.

Wheat—Under the advices from the East, holders were asking an advance of 2@3c per bush but buyers refused to pay it, and there was scarcely anything done. There is a good demand at $1 12@1 15 for prime red, and $1 30@1 35 for the best grades of Kentucky white. The only sales made public were—1000 bush good Kentucky white at $1 30 delivered; 400 prime do at $1 35, delivered; 750 prime red at $1 15 delivered; 250 do, on landing, at $1 15; 200 do at $1 16, delivered, and 250 mixed red and white at $1 15.

Corn—There is a firmer feeling on the part of holders, and not much disposition to sell, and the offerings are light. We quote shelled at 87c and ear at 90c, in bulk, with sales of about 2000 bush at these figures.

Oats—There was a fair demand from the retailers at 70c, in bulk, but the offerings were light, holders being unwilling to accept this figure. A lot of 600 bush sold at 73c sacks included.

Rye—The receipts are light with a fair demand, and the market rules firm at $1 10 for prime samples on arrival; a few small lots sold at $1 12.

Barley—There is still a difference between buyers and sellers id regard to prices, and there is nothing doing.

SUGAR IN PHILADELPHIA.—The market has been very active and prices are rather better, with free sales, in all some 3,500 hhds and 1,000 bxs to note, mostly Cuba, at 11¾@12¼c, and Porto Rico at 12¾@14c, on time.

NEW YORK COTTON MARKET.—Cotton.—The market remains very firm, but the business today has been only moderate; the inquiry was chiefly speculative; we quote Middling at 89@90c; sales of about 800 bales.

SUGAR IN NEW YORK.—There has been a very fair business doing to-day and full former prices are obtained. The sales embrace 900 hhds chiefly Cuba, at 11¾@12⅝c; 7,000 bags Manilla at 11¾c net cash, and 1,000 boxes Havana on private terms. Refined are firm at 16½c for Hards; 15¾@15¾c, for Soft Whites, and 14½@15c, for do Yellows.

RIVER MATTERS.

We condense the following from Monday's Cincinnati *Commercial*:

The weather yesterday was mild and cloudy, with a light drizzling rain during the evening and last night. At Pittsburgh the river is falling, with 22 inches in the channel. Here, it is receding slowly, with three feet hence to Louisville, and three feet in the canal.

The little Nellie Hartupee came in from Gallipolis, with a tow of coal for Goverament use. This was the only arrival outside of the daily packets. We have no departures to record outside of the daily packets.

The Belfast hauled down her Memphis sign yesteruay, having been taken for Government service.

MEMPHIS.

The *Bulletin*, of the 7th, says: Yesterday business was tolerably good considering the muddy state of the levee. The rain, which commenced descending in the morning, continued falling until nearly noon, making the getting about in the vicinity of the river not the most agreeable thing in the world. All day the weather was murky in the extreme, and no bid fair, toward evening, to make a dark and stormy night.

The boats arriving bring discouraging accounts of river navigation. From the officers of the Liberty No. 2 and the G. W. Graham, we have the correct soundings of the river both above and below Cairo. They inform us that from St. Louis to Cairo there is but four feet and two inches, and from Cairo down but from one to two inches better; below there is some five feet three inches to Helena, while from there down, although a thin river, it is navigable, with care, for the largest steamers.

The following is the port list for the last twenty-four hours:

ARRIVED.—Steamer City Belle, Cairo; steamer Liberty No. 2, Cairo; steamer G. W. Graham; St. Louis.

DEPARTED.—Steamer Metropolitan, Vicksburg; steamer Commercial, Cairo.

The steamer Graham was aground twenty-four hours in the upper river, on her down trip. All boats coming down, as well as going up, are compelled to tie up at night, on account of the lowness of water and fogs. The Graham left the Skylark at Cairo, and the Von Phul at Point Pleasant, sounding; both boats draw a trifle more water than there is in the river.

The following steamers are now lying at the levee: Graham, Liberty No. 2, City Belle and Adriatic.

GENERAL BANKS.—A New Orleans correspondent of the St. Louis *Republican* writes as follows concerning the commander of the Department of the Gulf:

In regard to General Banks, the social opinion is so favorable as to excite the suspicions of his more radical friends in New England, who think that it is a bad sign for a commander to be so popular. I cannot see the subject in that light. General Banks has a hand of iron in his glove of silk.

"And what do you think of Banks?" I said at dinner yesterday to a lady who had been eloquent in disparagment of Butler.

"I think he is a gentleman" she replied, proudly.

"But" said I, "he can be very severe on rebels,"

"Yes, to be sure" she rejoined, "*but he is a gentleman!*"

And, after all, the feminine preference for a ruler who rules with grace and dignity, be he never so strict, is probably correct, like a great many other feminine instincts.

General Banks' radical friends need not be greatly alarmed about his future. He is not going to do anything "soft." He will not be wheedled or fooled by any Secesh siren, or rebel respectability. He can be severe without cruelty, and will hasten slowly in his work of bringing back this department to the national domain.

In the meantime he keeps his secrets well. You will hear rumors of movements on Mobile, of movements on Texas, of movements across Western Louisiana; but not until they actually take place will the public know exactly what is being done. Is not this reserve rather commendable? Have we not too long pursued the policy of advertising our military intentions?

STEUBENVILLE, Oct. 13.—Brough's majority in Steubenville township is 724; a Union gain since last fall of 388.

THE comment of the English press on the speech of Senator SUMNER is generally unfavorable.

LATEST BY TELEGRAPH.

FROM WASHINGTON.

Special Despatch to the Commercial.

WASHINGTON, October 13.

THE ELECTIONS.

There has been intense interest all day to hear from the elections. The Ohio soldiers in this district voted for BROUGH almost unanimously; but through some mismanagement tickets were not forwarded from some of the most warmly contested counties, so that soldiers have been unable to vote for county nominees.

FIVE-TWENTY LOAN.

Foreign capitalists on yesterday subscribed nearly half a million dollars of the five-twenty loan. Government has money enough from foreign capitalists to pay the entire army for December.

NEW POSTAGE CURRENCY.

Some of the new fractional currency appeared in circulation to-day, having been stolen, as Treasurer SPINNER announces, that no authorized issue has been made. Owing to its bad appearance, the present edition may yet be suppressed.

GEN. MILROY.

Gen. Milroy has been acquitted of all charges brought against him in the court of inquiry relative to the surrender of Winchester. A.

FROM ST. LOUIS.

Special Dispatch to the Commercial.

GOV. GAMBLE'S PROCLAMATION.

ST. LOUIS, Oct. 13.

GOV. GAMBLE has issued a proclamation charging that evil disposed persons are endeavoring to produce disaffection towards the State Government, with the avowed purpose of overthrowing it by violence, should other means fail. Among this class of persons, are some holding commissions from the State Government, and to effect this scheme, the circulation of the most extraordinary falsehoods and misrepresentations regarding the purposes of the State Government are resorted to.

He puts the people of the State upon their guard against the plots of these conspirators. He announces his determination to use all the force at his command to sustain the laws and preserve the peace of the State, and punish those who disturb it. He also admonishes them that, as the highest political right of citizens is to vote at elections, the only interference, especially by the military, with the rights of qualified voters, will be regarded as an offense of the greatest magnitude.

The Governor makes a lengthy defense of his own loyalty, and vindicates the State Government against the accusations of its enemies.

FROM GEN. BLUNT.

The *Democrat's* Leavenworth special says: Gen. BLUNT has scoured the country east and south in search of BLAIR, and has satisfied himself that the enemy have gone south. He followed them to a point thirty miles from Fort Gibson, and sent a messenger to warn the garrison at that place and at Fort Smith.

BLUNT is now returning to Fort Scott. Major HENNING has arrived from Baxter's Springs with the bodies of Majors CURTISS and STARR. Of 80 prisoners taken by the rebels, fifty-five were murdered after their capture.

Latest from Charleston.

Special Despatch to the Commercial.

NEW YORK, Oct. 13.—The steamer Connecticut has arrived from Hilton Head with Charleston dates to the 9th. She reports that on the night of the 6th, the rebels sent a torpedo from Charleston attached to a raft, to the Ironsides, off Moultrie, which exploded under her bow, deluging the decks with water, putting out all the fires, and killing ensign HOWARD and wounding two seamen, but doing no damage to the vessel. The Ironsides remains off Moultrie House. The Monitors are doing picket duty off Sumter. GILMORE is still erecting batteries on Morris Island.

NEW YORK, October 13.—The Washington *Republican* of last evening contained the following, which the censor would not allow to be telegraphed to the press: We have information from the front this morning, that Gen. Meade's army has fallen back to this side of the Rappahannock, followed by Lee's army, which is in great force about half a mile from the south side of that river. The enemy made a feint of moving up the valley, on the southern bank of the Robertson river.

Our cavalry under Buford crossed at Germania Ford and took possession of the earthworks abandoned by them, when our force was all across the enemy came against Buford in great force, drove him across the river without time to destroy the crossing, and pursued him to Rappahannock station.

Kilpatrick, with a force of cavalry and artillery, which had made a reconnoissance near Madison Court House, was cut off yesterday afternoon on the road to Culpepper by a force of Ewell's corps, which was formed across the only road by which he could retreat, in twelve ranks with two sentinels on each flank.

Kilpatrick was compelled to charge directly into them. He led the charge in person, telling his men that they must do or die. The cavalry cut its way through the concentrated fire, such as has hardly been experienced by our troops during the war, and has, probably, his rear with his artillery retired through Culpepper.

Kilpatrick's loss in killed and wounded was 150.

Gen. Meade is said to have displayed good generalship in bringing his army back to the line of the Rappahannock.

When the enemy made his feint of moving up the Valley, Meade also made the feint of following him in force, to attack him in the rear, massing his troops at Raccoon Ford for that purpose. This drew back Lee's army, so that the intended flanking movement was frustrated. Meade has brought off the enemy's wagons and all his stores.

**Ironsides to be Sent North.

The Daily Commercial.

THE DEAD WIFE.

She is not lost to us! The weary heart,
O'ersome beneath its burden, prayed for rest;
And lo! Death's angel, with the shadowy hand,
Unfastening the cords too closely drawn,
That, for her better sleep, she might lay off
The robes it now encumbered her to wear,
And so she slumbered, lulled from all her pains
By the unerring ministry from heaven.
But say not she is not lost to us, who slept
Thus from her sorrows in a rest with God;
For, with the morrow, she arose again—
No more appareled for life's weekday toils,
But clad in Sabbath purity, to walk,
A spirit, all invisible to us,
While yet we feel the presence of her smile.
'Tis not by far removal from the earth
The blessed tread the spirit-path unseen.

And she whose features we behold no more
Will not forget the loved ones who are left
To toil and suffer longer, but will be
The angel of the home she knew so well.
Her viewless hand will minister to us
Our best apportioning of smiles and tears;
She will be near us when our hearts grow dark,
And near us when our children give us joy—
Near when we toil, and nearer when we pray;
And O! when life is ended, and she waits
On the bright threshold of the blest for us,
How like the sweet accustoming will be
The far-felt lustre of that look of love!
And how like our remembered welcome home
Will be her brighter welcoming to heaven!

Five Years a Wife and Nineteen Years a Widow—A Wanderer Returned.

Romantic stories occasionally find their way into newspapers, in the form of local items. They are not always to be relied upon. The state of the local market is sometimes the key to their credulity, and when a dearth of items prevails, that fact should receive a fair degree of allowance.

But it is not always the most improbable story that has the least foundation in facts. Truth is stranger than fiction. Our informant prefixed that remark to his own revelation, which is about as follows—and as we are not suffering under an item famine, we must bespeak the reader's credulity for the case in hand:

Twenty-four years ago this blessed October, a young gentleman and lady, who shall be nameless, living then in old England, met like Rachel and Jacob at a well-curb, and exchanged healths and vows. It was love at first sight; at second sight they were married. They moved to America, and begot sons and daughters. Five years of wedded life elapsed, and one fine morning the affectionate and devoted husband, who was never before known to forego the slightest conjugal or paternal obligations, was missing.

Nineteen years passed by, in which the absent husband was mourned as mysteriously deceased, and quite forgotten by widow and children. They had moved from their original residence in pursuit of better fortune, and they came to Rochester, where they have for some time resided. Last week, while the widow was sighing in loneliness at the protracted absence of her oldest son, somebody knocked at the door, which was opened, and lo, the husband!

The renegade took a chair, and said he had come back to take care of his family. He had been like Sinbad, the sailor, wandering over the earth and sea, sometimes throwing beef steaks into the diamond valley and making very heavy profits on recovering them from the cormorants that picked 'em up; he had been to Lilliput and Brobdignag, engineering huge caravans across Saharah, traced the sources of the Nile, slept in the grottoes of Monte Cristo, made a phrenological chart of the Sphynx, revelled in the halls of the Aztecs, eaten mud pies with the Hottentots, and turned the cold shoulder on the Esquimaux.

In short, he was narrating his experience at length, when his eldest daughter moved that he adjourn *sine die*, as they all supposed that he had, long ago. A vote was taken on the proposition by the family circle, and although the wife and mother only sustained the negative, she maintained that she was in the majority; that the erring husband should remain; that poverty was his best recommendation, and if he could not take care of his family, she would take care of him, according to the original tenor of their agreement, "till death do them part." Comment is superfluous.—*Rochester Democrat.*

A Naughty Husband.

We have lately come in possession of the following facts, which form an interesting tale of romance. During the early portion of last week an eminent physician, residing in the northern part of Indiana, arrived here, in company with a beautiful young lady, with whom he stopped at a private boarding house in our city, the two occupying the same room, as man and wife. The lady was from the same portion of Indiana in which the doctor resided, and was one of those beautiful creatures whom one has but to see to love. They would go shopping in the morning, take pleasant buggy rides of an afternoon, and at night they attended the different places of amusement, always dressing in elegant style, and attracting the attention of all who saw them. They continued to enjoy themselves in this manner for several days, but a change was to come over the spirit of their dreams, for the man of physic had left behind a wife and family of interesting children at the time he came to our city. His wife, becoming alarmed at his long absence, began to make inquiries in regard to her husband, when, to her great surprise and horror, she learned that he had taken the train for our fair city, in company with another female. Her jealousy was at once aroused and she immediately started in pursuit of her husband.

Upon arriving in our city she put up at one of the hotels and began to institute a search for her husband. In the meantime the husband heard of the arrival of his wife, and he immediately put his wits to work to get rid of his other partner. He returned to his boarding-house, and, forming some excuse, got his paramour to leave the city, promising to follow as soon as possible. She had scarcely left the house when the wife, who had in the meantime learned where her husband was boarding, entered the room, and there found him who had so wronged her, but the bird whom she wished to catch had flown. She, in a flood of tears, threw herself around the neck of her husband, and, notwithstanding the injuries he had done, she entreated him to return home with her. After considerable persuasion he repented, and agreed to grant her request, and the pair started for their home in the northern portion of Indiana. The female who came to this city in company with the doctor, learning that he had returned home, started in pursuit of him, and the whole affair will probably end in a very interesting law suit.—*Louisville Democrat.*

A Murderous Highway Robbery.

Martin Bush, a rowdy of considerable notoriety, was arrested by Detective Strebel, and arraigned before the Police Court on Saturday, on the charge of highway robbery. It appeared in evidence that about two weeks ago Bush and another party met a young man named Geo. Dodge in a disreputable house on Monroe street. The latter is a resident of Aurora, who had come to this city on business, and by some chance found his way into this vile haunt. After the parties had imbibed several times and become somewhat acquainted, Bush proposed to the countryman to "swap coats with him," and an exchange was effected between them, greatly to the advantage of Dodge, who thereupon became highly pleased with his new acquaintances. The two remained in the saloon until night, when Dodge asked his comrade to show him the way to the Central depot.

He, of course, readily acquiesced, and they went away together. But, instead of showing him the depot, Bush took a circuitous route through the city, and, crossing Rush street bridge, led the verdant to a secluded spot upon the lake shore. Then, having ascertained that there were no witnesses near by, he suddenly drew a slung-shot and knocked down the unsuspecting countryman.

He was a great deal stunned by the blow, but he made a faint effort at self-defence, when the ruffian again struck him, saying, "Give up your money or I'll kill you!" Dodge was too weak to offer much resistance, and the highwayman rifled his pockets of all the money they contained—about fifty-five dollars—without difficulty; after which he gave him some three or four severe blows on the head, muttering audibly to his victim, "Dead men tell no tales." It was some time after he had left him before Dodge recovered from the blows sufficiently to call for assistance. But at length some kindly-disposed person, hearing his moans, came up and helped him to the police headquarters, where he related the outrageous affair. Bush was afterwards identified by the description which he gave, and arrested. He is held in the sum of $4,000 for trial at the Recorder's court.—*Detroit Advertiser.*

The father of Spencer Kellogg Brown, the young man who was hanged at Richmond on the 25th of September, went into the Fulton street prayer meeting the other day, and requested prayers that the death of his son who was "murdered" in Richmond might be sanctified to him and his surviving family. The request produced a thrill and sensation through the audience.

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